

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A browser apparatus includes an information acquisition section for acquiring homepage data, a display section for displaying information, a shift direction input section for inputting a shift direction, a command input section for inputting a command, and a control section for displaying the homepage data acquired by the information acquisition section on the display section in response to a shift command indicating the shift direction input by the shift direction input section and the operation command indicating the operation input by the command input section. The control section has a plurality of operation modes, and assigns different functions to the shift direction input section and command input section in each of the operation modes as the functions of manipulating the homepage displayed on the display section. The browser apparatus is superior in operability, enabling the easy manipulation of a displayed window.